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TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: KIDNAPPING OF AMERICAN BUSINESSMAN

FOR A/CCT

WILLIAM NIEHOUS OF OWENS-ILLINOIS COMPANY WAS KIDNAPPED FROM HIS CARACAS HOME BY FIVE STOCKING-MASKED MEN ACCORDING TO HIS WIFE, AT ABOUT 2030 LOCAL TIME. VENEZUELAN AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED. WE HAVE ASKED OPERATIONS CENTER TO NOTIFY OWENS-ILLINOIS CORPORATE HEADQUARTER. EMBASSY TASK FORCE HAS BEEN CALLED. EMBASSY OFFICERS ARE AT NIEHOUS HOME. FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE REPORTED AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.
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